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Group Art Unit: 2814 Examiner: Unknown
Atty. Docket No.: NS-5127-1D US
Title: Gate-Enhanced Junction Varactor With Gradual Capacitance Variation
Assignee: National Semiconductor Corporation

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the above patent application:

1. Return Receipt Postcard;
2. This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); and
3. Preliminary Amendment (28 pp.).

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	Claims Remaining <i>After Amendment</i>			Previously <u>Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>		Rate		<u>Additional Fee</u>
Total Claims	68	Minus	20	=	48	x	\$50.00	\$	2,400.00	
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